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Applicant (or identifier	): CHANG ET AL.
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Title: VECTORS FOR TISSUE-SPECIFIC REPLICATION AND GENE

**EXPRESSION** 

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1. 2. 3.		Specification (Including Claims and Abstract) - 65 pages Formal Drawings - 19 sheets Declaration and Power of Attorney a.  Newly executed (original or copy) b. Copy from a prior application (signed or with indication that original was signed) i. Deletion of Inventors Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior
4.	$\boxtimes$	application Incorporation By Reference The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney is supplied under Box 3b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
5. 6.		Microfiche Computer Program (appendix)  Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  Computer Readable Copy  Paper Copy (4 pages)  Statement Verifying Identity of Above Copies
7.	$\boxtimes$	Preliminary Amendment with copy of restriction/election requirement from parent application
8. 9. 10. 11. 12.		Assignment Papers (Cover Sheet & Document(s)) Application Data Sheet Information Disclosure Statement with PTO Form 1449 Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) Return Receipt Postcard Other: Copy from parent application of Statement Under 37 CRF §3.73(b), Revocation of Power of Attorney/Power of Attorney and Change of Address from prior application.

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